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Amendment dated February 17, 2005
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE:

APPLICATION OF : David E. Patterson & Richard D. Cramer
TITLE : Computer Implemented Method of Generating and Characterizing Representative Three Dimensional Conformations of Reactants
FILING DATE : February 5, 2001
SERIAL NUMBER : 09/776,708
ART UNIT : 1631
EXAMINER : Mary K. Zeman
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TO: Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED AUGUST 17, 2004

Applicants hereby respond to the final office action dated August 17, 2004. This response is being timely filed along with a petition for extension of time and the required fee and a Request for Continued Examination along with the required RCE fee.

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AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8.